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Letter dated 3 September 1991 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i.
of the Permanent Mission of Uruguay to the United Nations
addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith a copy of the statement issued by the Uruguayan Ministry of Foreign Affairs in connection with the situation in Western Sahara.

I should be very grateful if you would have this letter and the attached communiqué circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under item 19 of the provisional agenda, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) Pablo SADER
Chargé d'affaires a.i.

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Statement issued on 30 August 1991 by the Uruguayan Ministry of Foreign Affairs

In the light of recent events in Western Sahara, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs reiterates that the Government of the Republic firmly and fully supports the peace plan for the region devised by the Secretary-General of the United Nations and approved by the Security Council.

It joins in the appeal by a number of Governments to all the parties concerned to refrain from any action that might impede implementation of the peace plan, which should culminate in the holding of a referendum on self-determination, under the organization and control of the United Nations.